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In re Application of

Ken M. Stedman

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Application No. 10/685,917

DECISION ON PETITION

Filed: October 14, 2003

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Attorney Docket No. Stedma.K-01

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 19, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-cited application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed March 21, 2005, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) was obtained within the statutory period. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on June 22, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on November 10, 2005.

The amendment filed December 19, 2006, is noted and made of record.

The application is being forwarded to Technology Center 1700, GAU 1724 for further processing.

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